

NO RELIEF IN SIGHT
FOR COAL SCARCITY

Necessary to Turn Off Heat
Again in M. U. Buildings
Early This Morning.

ARE TRACING CARS

Local Dealers Unable To
Supply Demands of the
School and City.

After heating the University buildings temporarily for a few hours this morning, the University found it necessary to cut off the heat at 10 o'clock due to the coal famine. There will be no heat tomorrow and probably none Sunday or Monday unless a supply of coal is received.

Edward E. Brown, business manager for the University said this morning. "We are tracing the cars, but have been unable to locate any between Columbia and St. Louis. We expect to receive a shipment of coal between now and Sunday. Our present supply is exhausted and we have been buying coal from local dealers, but they are unable to furnish us with what we need to keep the University heated."

"Many of the classes were dismissed this morning and probably more will be this afternoon, for nearly all of our coal was used this morning, and the steam is cut off at present, with the exception of the hospital. I do not see how the University can continue to hold classes unless we find some means of meeting the coal famine."

The local dealers see no immediate relief, and unless a flood of cars are turned loose immediately there is likely to be much suffering for the demand cannot be met. Whittle & Hockaday are receiving from one to two cars a day, but this in no way fills the demands of the people. H. R. Jackson, also a local dealer, says that the situation can be handled fairly well as long as the weather is moderate, but extreme cold will cause much suffering. He is receiving very little coal, and believes that the situation will become worse if the thousands of empty coal cars in St. Louis are not rushed to the mines.

Mr. Dalton of the Dalton Coal Company received one car this morning, and expects two tomorrow, but sees no permanent relief from the threatening famine. Davis and Watson are receiving on an average one car a day. That firm furnished coal to the University yesterday, but expect no permanent relief during the winter. The Columbia Coal Company is turning out about twenty-five tons a day.

U. S. Into Car Shortage Cause.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—To stave off a feared disastrous car shortage the railroads of the country were ordered by the conference committee on car efficiency to return to home lines as soon as possible all fruit and refrigerator cars. The committee is studying the freight transportation problem in connection with the Interstate Commerce Commission probe of the same subject.

FRESHMAN MUST WEAR HIS CAP

Student Senate Recommends Suspension for One Who Is Stubborn.

The Student Senate last night decided to take final action on the freshmen who have refused to wear their freshman caps. The Senate decided that Mark Lomax, a first-year man, as a result of his deliberate refusal to comply with the student regulations regarding the wearing of the freshman caps, should be recommended to the Discipline Committee for suspension from the University. The following report was sent to the Discipline Committee: "That Mark Lomax be put on probation until noon tomorrow, November 24, and that if he does not put on a freshman cap by that time, shall be summarily suspended from school for this semester."

Dinner For Stay-at-Homes.

According to present arrangements the Y. M. C. A. Thanksgiving dinner will be served at the Virginia Grill at 12 o'clock next Thursday.

Kewpies Lose to Kirksville 12-0.

The Columbia Kewpies were defeated by the Kirksville football team, 12 to 0 at Kirksville this afternoon.

THE CALENDAR

Nov. 26-28.—Annual meeting Missouri Conference for Social Welfare in University Auditorium.
Nov. 28.—Miss Clara Schmitt of the psychological department of the Chicago public schools will speak at a joint meeting of the Home Economics Club and Pi Lambda Theta in the Agricultural Auditorium at 7:30 p. m.
Nov. 30 to Dec. 4.—Thanksgiving Holidays.
Dec. 13.—Interpretative recital, "Othello," Christian College, 8:35 p. m.
Dec. 1-16.—Landscape Design Exhibit, Faculty Room (107) University Library Building.

THE WEATHER

For Columbia and vicinity: Fair colder tonight—temperature to about 15 degrees. Fair and a little warmer Saturday. For Missouri: Fair tonight and Saturday; colder tonight, rising temperature Saturday north and west portions.

Weather Conditions.

The storm that developed in the Rio Grande Valley about three days ago, and which was central near Chicago yesterday morning was at 7 a. m. today central near the City of Quebec, on its way down the St. Lawrence Valley. This storm has not only been a swift mover and a great precipitation producer, but it steadily increased in energy as it traveled northeastward and by the time it reached the lower Lakes it had become a dangerous storm, causing wind velocities of nearly seventy miles an hour with rain, sleet and snow. Its influence is still felt south to Hatteras, and reaches from Minnesota eastward nearly one thousand miles into the North Atlantic.

Local Data.

The highest temperature in Columbia yesterday was 46, and the lowest last night was 29; precipitation, 0.00; relative humidity 2 p. m. yesterday, 60 per cent. A year ago yesterday the highest temperature was 54, and the lowest 36; precipitation, .00.

The Temperatures Today.

7 a. m.	29	11 a. m.	32
8 a. m.	29	12 m.	33
9 a. m.	30	1 p. m.	34
10 a. m.	31	2 p. m.	35

HIRAM MAXIM IS DEAD

Arms Inventor, 76, Was Born
In U. S.—Ill Only a
Few Days.

By United Press

LONDON, Nov. 24.—Sir Hiram Maxim, inventor of cordite and automatic arms died here today. Sir Hiram had been reported seriously ill at his London home for several days. He was 76 years old and was born at Sangerville, Me. He was knighted in 1901. His son, Hiram Percy Maxim, who is president of the Maxim Silencer Co., and lives in the United States is also an inventor. Hudson Maxim is a brother of Hiram, and is an inventor, too.

Sir Hiram Stevens Maxim was the first to make and patent smokeless powder. He was also the inventor of the automatic system of firearms and patented many high explosives. Although he bore the title of knight, Sir Hiram was an American. He was born at Sangerville, Me.

IN THE FIELD OF TEACHING

Dean Charters Tells of the Advantages of the Profession.

"The average teacher who is a University graduate makes as much money as the average lawyer or doctor, notwithstanding the general opinion that a teacher is poorly paid," according to Dr. W. W. Charters, who delivered the third lecture in the faculty series last night, on the subject of "The College Graduate as a Teacher." To support this assertion he told of the progress that members of the class of 1906, in the School of Education, have made since graduation.

Out of the twenty-six men in the class, one is president of Stephens College, one is president and part owner of Kemper, one is director of extension work, three are University professors, six are normal school professors, three are superintendents of schools, two are principals in St. Louis schools, two are in religious educational work and one is a high school professor. They have been out of school only a short time yet they are making on the average of \$2,500 or \$3,000.

"Although the remuneration may be a little low, the teaching profession has many desirable advantages. There is a permanence in the position and one does not have the worries of business life. Pensions are being provided for old teachers, so the worry for the future is cast aside. Then, too, the teacher has more leisure than other professions—leisure in the sense that after he is through with class work he can do what he likes with the remaining time. The teacher has a pleasant social environment. For the man who thirsts for knowledge, the teaching profession gives plenty of time for investigation."

"There are four necessary characteristics for the teacher; first, a medium ability in the line in which he is interested; second, a fondness for study; third, he must be a hard worker; and fourth, he must be fond of people."

COMMITTEE PLEASED
WITH M. U.'S GROWTH

Board of Visitors Here For
Biennial Inspection For
State Assembly.

TO ASK FOR MONEY

Members Favor a Permanent
Maintenance Fund for
the University.

That the University has made a phenomenal growth within the last twenty years with the appropriations which have been granted is the opinion of the board of visitors appointed by the governor, expressed today by A. E. Douglass, of Kansas City, a member of the board. Three members of the board, Mr. Douglass, R. L. Alford of Vandalia and Frank H. Crowell of Butler, came last night for the biennial inspection of the University. They will leave Columbia tonight.

The board of five members is appointed to visit the University once every two years to investigate its needs and is required to report to the governor before the meeting of the General Assembly. The chairman of the committee is Jay L. Torrey of Fruitville, and the fifth member is Thomas T. Fauntleroy of St. Louis.

This Trip Merely for Inspection.

"Our trip to Columbia today is merely one of inspection," Mr. Douglass said. "We will tabulate the needs of the institution and formulate our report at a meeting of the committee which will be held before the convening of the General Assembly."

"We feel that the state should stand behind its University to the largest possible extent. What we are endeavoring to incorporate in our recommendations is a plan for a permanent maintenance fund which will place the University of Missouri in a position to cope with the best state institutions of the United States. Missouri is one of the richest states in the Union, and there is no reason why such a thing is not possible."

"The growth of the University with the small appropriations which it receives and the place among the educational institutions of the United States which it has taken, are remarkable and almost unprecedented."

Committee Realizes Need of Funds.

"The committee is pleased with the spirit of co-operation in the institution between the students and the faculty. We realize that with the increased proportions of the student body that ample funds must be provided to maintain the University as it should be maintained."

"We feel that a strong type should be made throughout the state for a united support of its chief educational institution. There is no one thing which speaks more for the progressiveness of a state than the high standing of its state university, and this is true of Missouri."

The University is also of great assistance to Columbia. Mr. Douglass said, and the people of the town should not fail to appreciate just what the state institution is doing.

U. H. S. DEFEATS MOBERLY HIGH

Prep School Team Wins Its Final
Game of the Season, 12 to 0.

The University High School football team, coached by Donald Selbe, a University student, finished its season with a 12 to 0 victory over the Moberly High School football team yesterday on Rollins Field. The local team got away in the lead, when a Moberly man fumbled a punt and the ball was recovered on Moberly's ten-yard line by a University High man. A forward pass, Durall to Whiteley, gave the University High team its first touchdown.

In the second quarter another forward pass, Durall to Whiteley, netted the second touchdown. Both of the passes were for about 15 yards.

The stars of the game were Durall, Whiteley and Duncan for the University High School team and Captain Smith and Goetze for the Moberly team.

Date for Columbia School Vacations.

Christmas holidays for the Columbia schools will begin Friday, December 22 and end Monday, January 1. It was decided by the School Board at its regular meeting last night. A representative of W. D. Ittner, architect of the two new Columbia schools, who has been investigating school buildings here for the last few weeks, made a short report.

BOB SIMPSON BACK
FROM TRIP ABROAD

Missouri's Greatest Athlete
Returns With Fifteen Cups
and Twelve Medals.

HE SCORES IN 4 MEETS

Takes 17 Points at Stockholm
—Distinguishes Himself
at One University.

Unheralded, Robert I. Simpson—Missouri's greatest athlete, the same unassuming Bob that left for Europe some two months ago—arrived in Columbia at 5 o'clock this morning. Enriched only by the wonderful experience of the trip, some fifteen gold and silver cups of various sizes, a few medals, a world's record or two and several pounds of flesh, the great athlete slipped quietly into town, ready to resume his University studies.

The American athletes, Ward, Murray, Meredith, Loomis and Simpson, who were in Sweden, Norway and Denmark for four weeks arrived in New York Wednesday morning, and Simpson was not slow in making his way back to Missouri. The party was held up at Kirkwall, England, for two days on both the outward and the homeward trip, but otherwise had no delays.

From the time the athletes landed in Christiania, October 11, until they left Copenhagen, November 8, there was never an idle moment, according to Simpson. Banquets, rides and various other forms of amusement filled in the time between the four track meets in which the Americans participated. Bob said that they often wished for some time to themselves in which to write letters or to order a meal as they wished it.

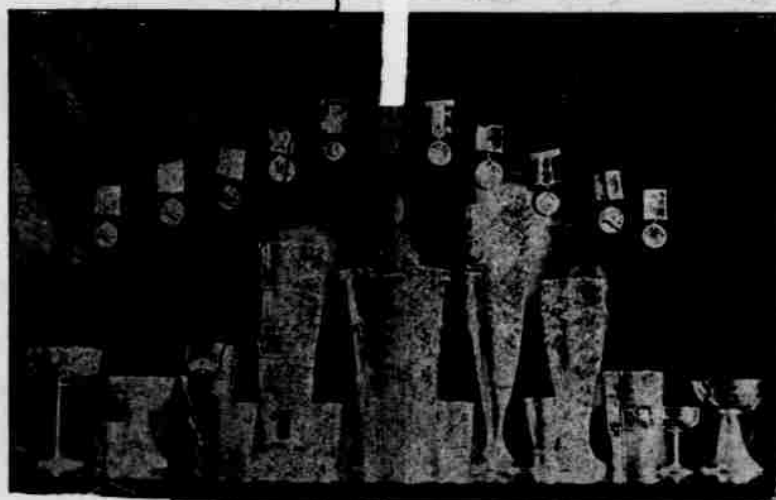
The men had only two days to work out before the Stockholm meet, but they were glad of that much after the fourteen days' boat trip. Thirty thousand persons attended the Stockholm meet, in which Simpson broke the Olympic record for the 110-meter high hurdles, making the distance in 14 4-5 seconds.

Leads Field With 17 Points.

Another record Simpson made was in the 220-meter hurdles around a curve. Running under four big electric lights Bob won the race in 25 2-5 seconds. The Missouri athlete led the field with seventeen points at this meet.

Three other meets were held, one at Christiania and the two others in Sweden at Malmo and Upsala, where is located Sweden's oldest and best university. In all of them Bob distinguished himself, winning more points than any other man and proving his all-around ability by participating in the dashes, high jump and relay, as well as his specialty, the hurdles.

"The cold, damp weather was the only disagreeable feature of the trip," said Bob this morning. "We could not have asked for a better time anywhere and the Swedes and Norwegians sure



Trophies and Medals Brought Back by Bob Simpson.

ly showed us everything there was to be seen. The tracks were well built, but the lateness of the season in these far northern countries accounted for the freezing weather and the consequent bad condition of the tracks. The men who were on this trip as well as the Olympic trip in 1912 said that they had a much better time on this trip and were able to see more of the people and the country.

Millionaires Made Overnight.

"Except for the general prosperity in the Scandinavian countries one would never know that the European war was in progress. Everyone in these countries is growing rich at the expense of the warring nations, and millionaires are made almost overnight. Copenhagen is as lively as New York ever was, and the other cities are not far behind. They certainly

BOB



have some fine restaurants. All they use water for is to wash with.

"Stockholm is the cleanest city I have ever seen. All the pavement is of cobblestones, and the houses are built for permanence. The stores know how to dress their windows. We used to walk down the street just to see the attractive window displays—so different from those in American stores. The trains, hotels and restaurants are all crowded and reflect the clean prosperity of the people."

They Didn't Get Seasick.

"We didn't get a bit seasick—that's all a matter of the mind," Bob replied to an inquiry. Later he was asked about the Swedish girls. "There are certainly lots of them in Stockholm, and pretty, too," said Bob smiling.

"It was impossible to find out a thing about what was happening in the states," Bob went on. "The English papers we saw had nothing but war, and we never got hold of a paper from this country. I didn't find out about our football games until I ran across a University professor in St. Louis yesterday."

Simpson's collection of fifteen cups, which range in size from a quart measure to a two-inch high cup, and in even dozen medals, all won in the European meets, are on display at the Missouri Store. Even though the inscriptions are in Swedish and Norwegian, they tell better than mere words, the story of the prowess of Missouri's most wonderful and consistent athlete.

Simpson to Tell of Trip.

University students will have an opportunity to hear Bob Simpson tell about his foreign invasion at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night when the Mis-

THREE CITIES FALL
INTO TEUTON HANDS

Von Falkenhayn Approaches
Alps—Rumanians Report
Resistance Broken.

HOSPITAL SHIP SUNK

British Vessel Destroyed 60
Miles From Place Where
Britannic Was Lost.

By United Press

BERLIN, Nov. 24.—Orsova has been captured by Teuton troops, the official statement from Rumania announced today. The statement said there were no important engagements on the front commanded by Prince Leopold. On the Wallachian plain the troops of General Von Falkenhayn are approaching the Alps. The Rumanians report that hostile resistance has been broken in the west. Sevrin and Turnu have been captured in addition to Orsova.

New Russian Premier Appointed.

By United Press

PETROGRAD, Nov. 24.—General Trepoff has been appointed prime minister of Russia, the present premier, General Sturmer, becoming grand chancellor.

British Hospital Ship Is Sunk.

By United Press

LONDON, Nov. 24.—The British hospital ship Braemar-Castle, homeward bound from Saloniki, was sunk by a mine or torpedo in Mykonos Channel of the Aegean Sea, the admiralty announced today. The statement said that all on board were saved. The channel where the Braemar-Castle was sunk lies between the Greek islands of Linos and Mykonos and is only about sixty miles from the spot where, on Tuesday, the Britannic, another British vessel, fell victim to a mine, according to the latest admiralty announcement.

Allies Win Back Land From Teutons.

By United Press

PARIS, Nov. 24.—Further progress of the Allies west of Monastir was announced in the official statement this afternoon. The battle northeast of the Macedonian city is continuing. Italian troops are also advancing. Nearly two hundred square miles have been reconquered from the Teutons in the Allied victories around Monastir, according to Serbian official statements this afternoon. Violent fighting Wednesday along the whole front northwest and east of Monastir is reported.

SEASON'S LAST MASS MEETING

Other Features To Take Place of Band and Cheer Leaders, Tuesday Night.

The last mass meeting of the football season will be held in the University Auditorium at 7 o'clock next Tuesday night, the last night before the students will invade the land of the Jayhawkers. Lue Lozier, student president said today that although he was working under a handicap for this meeting, as both the band and the cheer leaders will have left for Kansas City where they will take part in the University Day program on Wednesday, he intends that this mass meeting will have other features that will rouse the spirit of the students. He is trying now to get George Willson, student president in 1913, and Eddie Kline, quarterback on Bill Roper's famous 1909 team here for Tuesday night. He is also negotiating with the University Glee Club.

The mass meeting will have to close at 8 o'clock as the State Conference on Social Welfare have made arrangements for the Auditorium at that hour. Immediately after the mass meeting the freshman cap burning will take place around the circle on the Quadrangle.

Lozier has appointed J. A. Faris, John Longwell and William Wells as the Student Council Committee to decorate the Tiger special that will leave Columbia at 12:45 o'clock Wednesday.

Labor Urges Wheat Embargo.

By United Press

BALTIMORE, Nov. 24.—The American Federation of Labor convention today declared itself by unanimous vote for an embargo on wheat and other food stuffs, "until prices are restored to normal."

Girl Born to Prof. and Mrs. Olmstead.

A daughter was born to Prof. and Mrs. A. T. Olmstead Sunday. Professor Olmstead is in the department of history.